

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION D.C. 20549

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## INITIAL STATEMENT OF BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

Filed prusuant to Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Section 17(a) of the Public Utility Holding (Print or Type Responses) Company Act of 1934 or Section 30(f) of the Investment Company Act of 1940 1. Name and Address of Reporting Person\* 2. Date of Event Re-4. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Raymond James Financial (RJF) quiring Statement (Month/Day/Year) Eitel John **Timothy** 5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer 6. If Amendment, Date of (Last) (First) (Middle) February 14, 2003 \_\_\_\_ Director \_\_\_\_\_ 10% Owner Orginial (Month/Day/Year) \_\_\_ Officer (give \_\_X\_\_ Other (specify title below) below) 3. IRS or Social Security 7. Individual orJoint/Group Filing (Check Applicable Line) **Executive Officer RJA** 880 Carillon Parkway X Form filed by One Reporting Person Number of Reporting (Street) Person, if an entity Form filed by More than One Reporting Person (Voluntary) St. Petersburg  $\mathbf{FL}$ 33716 (City) (State) (ZIP) Table I - Non Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of , or beneficially Owned 1. Title of Security 2. Amount of Securities 3. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) 4. Nature of Indirect Benefcial Ownership (Instr. 4) Beneficially Owned (Instr. 5) (Instr. 5) (Instr. 4) Raymond James Financial, Inc. (RJF) **RJF Common Stock** 28,242 D RJF Common Stock 910 **Spouse** RJF Common Stock **ESOP** 7,307

| FORM 4 (continued)              | (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, co | nvertible secur       | ities)       |                                |          |            |                      |
|---------------------------------|---|-----------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|----------|------------|----------------------|
| 1. Title of Derivative Security |   |                       |              | 3. Title and Amount of         |          | 5 .Owner-  | 6.Nature of Indirect |
| (Instr. 4)                      | cisable a                                 | cisable and           |              | Underlying Derivative Security |          | ship       | Beneficial Ownership |
|                                 | Expiration                                | Expiration (Instr. 4) |              |                                | Exercise | Form of    | (Instr. 5)           |
|                                 | Date                                      | Date                  |              |                                | Price of | Deriv-     |                      |
|                                 | (Month/I                                  | Day/                  |              |                                | Deri-    | ative      |                      |
|                                 | Year)                                     | Year)                 |              |                                |          | Securities |                      |
|                                 |   |                       |              |                                | Security | Direct     |                      |
|                                 |   |                       |              |                                |          | (D) or     |                      |
|                                 |   |                       |              |                                |          | Indirect   |                      |
|                                 |   |                       |              |                                |          | (I)        |                      |
|                                 |   |                       |              |                                |          | Instr. 5)  |                      |
|                                 | Date                                      | Expira-               |              | Amount or                      |          |            |                      |
|                                 | Exer-                                     | tion                  | Title        | Number of                      |          |            |                      |
|                                 | cisible                                   | Date                  |              | Shares                         |          |            |                      |
|                                 |   |                       |              |                                |          |            |                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right    |   |                       |              |                                |          |            |                      |
| to buy)                         | Current                                   | 11/18/2005            | Common Stock | 2,400                          | 20.6250  |            |                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right    | 11/18/03 -                                |                       |              |                                |          |            |                      |
| to buy)                         | 11/18/04                                  | 11/18/2005            | Common Stock | 1,600                          | 20.6250  |            |                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right    | 11/28/2004 -                              |                       |              |                                |          |            |                      |
| to buy)                         | 11/28/06                                  | 1/28/2007             | Common Stock | 6,000                          | 32.0000  |            |                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right    |   |                       |              |                                |          |            |                      |
| to buy)                         | 12/10/2005                                | 2/10/2008             | Common Stock | 2,053                          | 31.5500  |            |                      |
| Employee Stock Option (Right    | 12/10/05 -                                |                       |              |                                |          |            |                      |
| to buy)                         | 12/10/07                                  | 12/10/2008            | Common Stock | 2,947                          | 31.5500  | D          |                      |
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly. Explanation of Responses:

Note: File three copies of this Form, one of which must be manually signed. If space is insufficient. see Instructions 6 for procedure.

/s/ JOHN TIMOTHY EITEL 2/21/2003
\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

Last update: 09/03/2002

<sup>\*</sup> If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 5(b)(v)

<sup>\*\*</sup>Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations, See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).